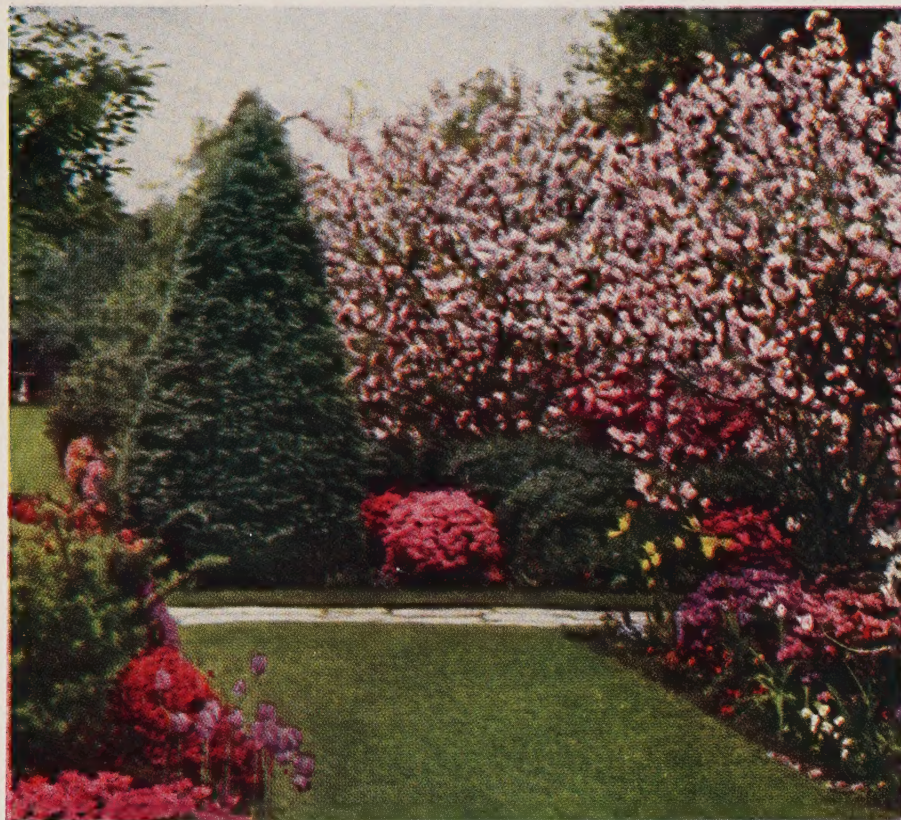


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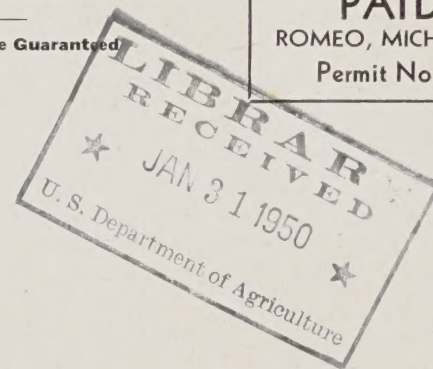
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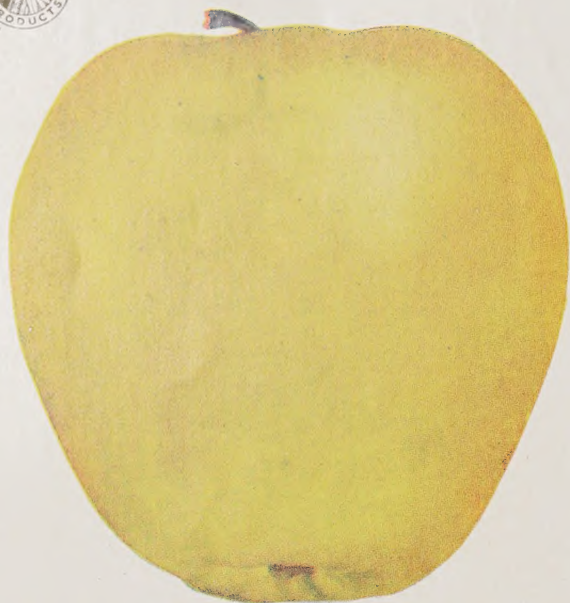


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APPLE

(W—Winter, S—Summer, F—Fall)

Dark Red Delicious (W)	R. I. Greening (W)
Jonathan (W)	Wealthy (F)
McIntosh (FW)	Yellow Delicious (W)
Northern Spy (W)	Yellow Transparent (S)
Red Rome Beauty (W)	Hyslop Crab Apple
	1 to 9 10 to 49 50 or more
Prices:	trees trees trees
4 to 5 ft.	\$1.45 ea. \$1.20 ea. \$0.95 ea.
5 to 6 ft.	1.85 ea. 1.55 ea. 1.25 ea.

PEACH

Fruit Ripens

Champion	Aug. 25-30		
Early Elberta	Sept. 1- 5		
Elberta	Sept. 10-20		
Golden Jubilee	Sept. 1- 5		
Hale Haven	Aug. 25-30		
J. H. Hale	Sept. 5-10		
Rochester	Sept. 5-10		
South Haven	Aug. 25-Sept. 1		
Sunglo	Sept. 1- 5		
	1 to 9 trees	10 to 49 trees	50 or more trees
Prices:			
3 to 4 ft.	\$1.20 ea.	\$1.00 ea.	\$0.75 ea.
4 to 5 ft.	1.45 ea.	1.20 ea.	.90 ea.
5 to 6 ft.	1.85 ea.	1.55 ea.	1.25 ea.

SWEET CHERRY

(B—Black, R—Red, Y—Yellow)

Bing (B)	Black Tartarian (B)	Governor Wood (Y)
1 to 9 trees	10 to 49 trees	50 or more trees
Prices:		
4 to 5 ft.	\$2.25 ea.	\$2.15 ea. \$2.00 ea.
5 to 6 ft.	2.60 ea.	2.45 ea. 2.25 ea.

SOUR CHERRY

Early Richmond (R)	Montmorency (R)
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Lombard. Reddish violet; yellow flesh.
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PEARS (Standard)

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Beurre Clairgeau (W)		Kieffer (W)	
Prices: On Sour Cherry, Plums, and Pears			
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3 to 5 ft.	\$1.95 ea.	\$1.75 ea.	\$1.35 ea.
4 to 6 ft.	2.25 ea.	2.00 ea.	1.75 ea.

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Blakemore Premier
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Gem

Per 100, \$6.00; per 250, \$12.00



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GEMZATA

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Brighton Concord	Fredonia Moore's Early	Niagara Portland
	Each Per 3	Per 10 Per 50
2 yr. No. 1.....	\$0 50 \$1 50	\$4 05 \$14 05
1 yr. No. 1.....	40 1 10	3 25 11 25

CURRENT · Red Lake

	Each Per 3	Per 10 Per 50
2 yr. No. 1.....	\$0 75 \$2 00	\$6 50 \$27 50

ASPARAGUS

Washington Rust-Proof.....	Per 25 \$2 05	Per 100 \$5 40	Per 1000 \$27 00
Paradise.....	2 05	5 40	27 00

BOYSENBERRIES

	Per 25	Per 100	Per 1000
Thorny or Thornless.....	\$4 65	\$14 05	\$85 00

DEWBERRY

	Per 25	Per 100	Per 1000
Lucretia.....	\$3 30	\$9 90	\$60 00

BLACKBERRIES

	Per 25	Per 100	Per 1000
No. 1 Plants.....	\$3 30	\$9 90	\$60 00
Blowers	Eldorado		

RASPBERRIES

	Per 25	Per 100	Per 1000
No. 1 Plants.....	\$3 30	\$9 90	\$60 00
Cumberland. Black	Morrison. Black.		
Cuthbert. Red.	St. Regis. (Ever-		
Latham. Red.	bearing.) Red.		
	Taylor. Red.		

RHUBARB

	Each	Per 3
McDonald and Canada Red.....	\$1 00	\$2 50
Myatt Linnaeus.....	35	1 00



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RASPBERRIES



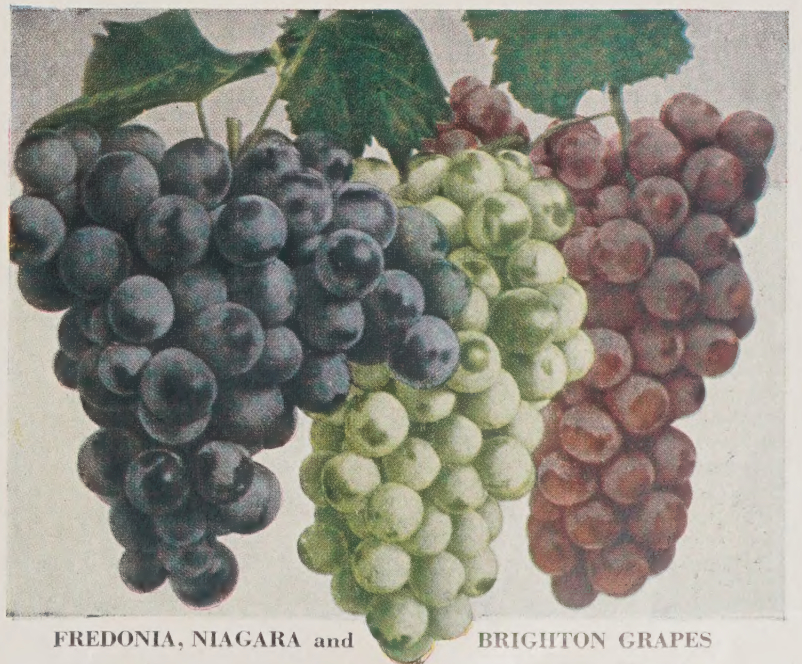
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FLORIBUNDA ROSE, ELSE POULSEN

The following were selected by the Detroit Rose Society as the outstanding varieties for Michigan for 1948:

HYBRID TEAS

Charles K. Douglas. Red.
Mme. Jules Bouche. White.
Sœur Therese. Yellow.
Edith Nellie Perkins. Two-tone pink.
Condesa de Sagato. Bicolor.
Mrs. Sam McGredy. Copper.
McGredy's Yellow. Yellow.
Poinsettia. Scarlet.
Etoile de Hollande. Red.
Golden Dawn. Yellow.
Christopher Stone. Scarlet.

POLYANTHAS and FLORIBUNDAS

Else Poulsen. Two-tone pink.
Cinnabar. Cinnamon-red.
Red Ripples. Sparkling red.

HYBRID PERPETUALS

Frau Karl Druschki. White.
Henry Nevard. Crimson.

Other Recommended HYBRID TEA BUSH ROSES

Ami Quinard. Very dark red.
Editor McFarland. Pink.
Talisman. Yellow and orange.
President Herbert Hoover. Two-tone.
Betty Uprichard. Two-tone pink.
Yellow Talisman. Pure yellow.
Rouge Mallerin. Scarlet.

CLIMBING ROSES

American Beauty. Carmine.
Dr. W. Van Fleet. Flesh-pink.
Dorothy Perkins. Pink.
Gardenia. Creamy yellow.
Paul's Scarlet. Dazzling red.
Silver Moon. White, yellow center.

Fine 2-yr., No. 1 plants, your selection from the above list, \$1.50 each; \$13.50 for 10; \$125.00 per 100.



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Silver Maple Each
8 to 10 ft. \$2 25

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Norway Maple.
8 to 10 ft. 4 50

A. platanoides Schwedleri

Schwedler Maple.
6 to 8 ft. 7 50

BETULA alba

European White Birch
6 to 8 ft. 4 50

B. alba laciniata

Cutleaf Weeping Birch.
5 to 6 ft. 5 00

CERCIS canadensis

Redbud.
2 to 3 ft. 3 00

C. florida. Spring only

White-flowering Dogwood.
3 to 4 ft. 7 50

C. florida rubra. Spring only

Red-flowering Dogwood.
2 to 3 ft. 9 00

MAGNOLIA Soulangeana.

Spring only
Saucer Magnolia.
2 to 3 ft., B&B 10 50

MALUS Eleyi

Eley Purple Crab.
2 to 3 ft. 2 25

M. ioensis Bechteli

Bechtel's Crab (Double Pink)
2 to 3 ft. 3 00

Malus floribunda.

Pink to White
Japanese Flowering Crab Each
2 to 3 ft. \$2 25

POPULUS nigra italica

Lombard Poplar.
6 to 8 ft. 2 25

P. Simoni

Simon Poplar.
6 to 8 ft. 2 25

PRUNUS, Newport

Purple-leaf Plum.
3 to 4 ft. 3 00

P. vesuvius

Purple-leaf Plum.
3 to 4 ft. 3 00

SALIX babylonica

Weeping Willow.
5 to 6 ft. 2 25

S. vitellina pendula, Niobe

Golden Weeping Willow
5 to 6 ft. 2 25

SORBUS aucuparia

European Mountain Ash
6 to 8 ft. 4 50

ULMUS americana

American Elm.
6 to 8 ft. 2 25

U. parvifolia

Chinese Elm.
6 to 8 ft. 2 25



MAGNOLIA SOULANGEANA

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UPRIGHT YEW

ABIES concolor Each
White Fir. 18 to 24 in. \$5 50

BIOTA aurea nana. Spring only,
Berckman's Golden Arborvitae.
15 to 18 in. 3 00

B., Baker's Compacta. Spring only.
Baker's Arborvitae. 2 to 3 ft. 4 50

JUNIPERUS chinensis
Chinese Juniper. 2 to 3 ft. 5 50

J. chinensis Pfitzeriana
Pfitzer's Juniper. 15 to 18 in. 3 50

J. communis hibernica
Irish Juniper. 2 to 3 ft. 3 50

J. excelsa stricta
Spiny Greek Juniper. 12 to 15 in. 2 75

J. virginiana Hilli.
Hill's Juniper. 2 to 3 ft. 5 50

J. Sabina.
Savin Juniper. 15 to 18 in. 3 50

J. virginiana
Red Cedar. 2 to 3 ft. 3 75

J. virginiana Burki
2 to 3 ft. 5 50

J. virginiana Canaerti
Canaert Red Cedar. 2 to 3 ft. 5 50

PICEA albertiana
Black Hills Spruce. 18 to 24 in. 3 00

P. canadensis
White Spruce. 18 to 24 in. 3 00

P. excelsa.
Norway Spruce. 18 to 24 in. 2 75

PINUS montana mughus
Mugho Pine. 12 to 15 in. 3 50

PSEUDOTSUGA taxifolia (Douglasi)
Douglas Fir. 18 to 24 in. 5 50

TAXUS cuspidata Each
Spreading Yew. 12 to 15 in. \$5 50

T. cuspidata capitata
Upright Yew. 18 to 24 in. 7 50

T. media Hicksi
Hicks Yew. 18 to 24 in. 9 00

THUYA occidentalis
American Arborvitae. 2 to 3 ft. 4 50

T. occidentalis globosa
Globe Arborvitae. 15 to 18 in. 3 00

T. occidentalis nigra
Dark Green Arborvitae. 2 to 3 ft. 5 50

T. occidentalis pyramidalis
Pyramidal Arborvitae. 3 to 4 ft. 5 50

T. occidentalis Wareana
Ware or Siberian Arborvitae
1½ to 2 ft. 4 50



NORWAY SPRUCE



IRISH JUNIPER



PYRAMIDAL
ARBORVITAE



MUGHO PINE



PFITZER'S JUNIPER

CHIEF PONTIAC FLOWERING SHRUBS

BERBERIS Thunbergi atropurpurea. Red-leaf Barberry
12 to 15 in. Box Barberry
B. Thunbergi minor. Butterfly Bush
15 to 18 in. Butterfly Bush
BUDDLEIA, Charming. Tall; pink. 2-yr. plants. Spring only.
B., Ile de France. 2-yr., No. 1 plants. Spring only.
CORNUS alba sibirica. Siberian Dogwood
2 to 3 ft. Red-Osier Dogwood
C. stolonifera. Flowering Quince
2 to 3 ft. Slender Deutzia
CYDONIA japonica. Slender Deutzia
18 to 24 in. Lemoine Deutzia
DEUTZIA gracilis. Lemoine Deutzia
15 to 18 in. Showy Border Forsythia
D. Lemoinei. Weeping Forsythia
18 to 24 in. Fortune Weeping Forsythia
FORSYTHIA intermedia spectabilis. Fortune Weeping Forsythia
2 to 3 ft. Althea; Rose-of-Sharon
F. suspensa. In four colors. Spring only.
2 to 3 ft. Regel's Privet
F. suspensa Fortunei. 18 to 24 in. White Bell Honeysuckle
HIBISCUS syriacus. 2 to 3 ft. Morrow Honeysuckle
In four colors. Spring only. 2 to 3 ft. Pink Tatarian Honeysuckle
LIGISTRUM Regelianum. 2 to 3 ft. Red Honeysuckle
18 to 24 in. Sweet Mock-orange
LONICERA bella albida. 2 to 3 ft. Big Scentless Mock-orange
L. bella albida. 2 to 3 ft. Ninebark
L. Morrow. 2 to 3 ft. Slender Golden Currant
L. tatarica grandiflora. 2 to 3 ft. Dwarf Arctic Willow
L. tatarica Zabeli. 2 to 3 ft. Dwarf Red Spirea
PHILADELPHUS coronarius. 15 to 18 in. Billiard Spirea.
2 to 3 ft. Froebel Spirea
P. grandiflorus. 18 to 24 in. Vanhoutte Spirea
2 to 3 ft. Snowberry
PHYSOCARPUS opulifolius. 18 to 24 in. African Tamarix
RIBES aureum. 2 to 3 ft. Kashgar Tamarix
2 to 3 ft. American Cranberrybush
SALIX purpurea. 18 to 24 in. European Cranberrybush
2 to 3 ft. Common Snowball
SPIREA, Anthony Waterer. 15 to 18 in. Common Snowball
S. Billiardi. 2 to 3 ft. Pink Weigela.
S. Bumalda Froebeli. 18 to 24 in. Pink Weigela.
S. Vanhouttei. 2 to 3 ft. Your choice of the above list of 2 and 3-yr.-old
Flowering Shrubs, well-branched plants, 80c each;
3 for \$2.25. Your assortment.

Chief Pontiac Selected List of the Best Flowering and Ornamental Shrubs

BERBERIS Thunbergi pluriflora erecta. Truedge Columnberry
12 to 15 in. Peking Coloneaster
COTONEASTER acutifolia. 18 to 24 in. Glossy Coloneaster
C. foveolata. 18 to 24 in. Slender Deutzia
DEUTZIA gracilis. 15 to 18 in. Winged Euonymus
EUONYMUS alatus. 18 to 24 in. Dwarf Winged Euonymus
E. alatus compactus. 18 to 24 in. Snowhill Hydrangea
HYDRANGEA arborescens grandiflora. 18 to 24 in. Peegee Hydrangea
H. paniculata grandiflora. 18 to 24 in. Blueleaf Honeysuckle
LONICERA Korolkowi. 18 to 24 in. Golden Mock-orange
PHILADELPHUS coronarius aureus. 12 to 15 in. Fragrant Mock-orange
PHILADELPHUS virginialis. 2 to 3 ft. Double Pink-flowering Almond
PRUNUS glandulosa sinensis. 18 to 24 in. Nanking Cherry
P. tomentosa. 2 to 3 ft. Jelbead
RHODOTYPOS kerrioides. 2 to 3 ft. Alpine Currant
RIBES alpinum. 12 to 18 in. Persian Lilac
SYRINGA persica. 2 to 3 ft. Common Purple Lilac
S. vulgaris. 2 to 3 ft. Common White Lilac
S. vulgaris alba. 3 to 4 ft. Red Weigela
WEIGELA, Eva Rathke. 18 to 24 in. Crimson Weigela.
W. floribunda. 2 to 3 ft.

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Japanese Barberry	Per 100
12 to 18 in.	\$25 00
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12 to 18 in.	\$12 50
L. ovalifolium	
California Privet.	
12 to 18 in.	12 50

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Sweet Autumn Clematis	
2-yr., No. 1 Plants	1 00
LONICERA Heckrottii	
Gold-Flame Honeysuckle	
2-yr., No. 1 Plants	1 50
L. japonica Halliana	
Hall's Japan Honeysuckle	
2-yr., No. 1 Plants	1 50

POLYGONUM Auberti	
Silver Lace Vine	Each
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WISTERIA sinensis	
Chinese Wisteria	
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